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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Richard B. Streeter et al.  
Serial No.: 10/014,699  
Filing Date: 10/26/2001  
Title: INTRACARDIOVASCULAR ACCESS  
(ICVA™) SYSTEM  
Group Art Unit: 3763  
Examiner: Jeremy Thissell  
Attorney's Docket No.: VIA-10

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RESPONSE

This paper is submitted in response to an Office Action of  
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Please amend the application as follows:

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